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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND
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Applicants respectfully appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated October 24, 2005, in which the Office finally rejected claims 1-5, 7, 9, 11-20, 24, 26, 28-33, 37, 39, 41-45, and 62-66 of the above-captioned patent application.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the final rejection for three months, to and including April 24, 2006. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$500.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §

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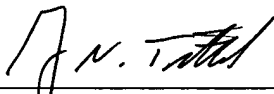
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